

ADVENTURE

Suggested Reading List

*First in a Series



Juv Fiction AUXIER J PETER NIMBLE AND HIS FANTASTIC EYES*

Raised to be a thief, blind orphan Peter Nimble, steals three pairs of magical eyes from a mysterious stranger.



Juv Fiction BALTAZAR A TIMELESS: DIEGO AND THE RANGERS OF THE VASTLANTIC*

In a world where past, present, and future have collided, Diego and his friends must rescue Diego's kidnapped father.



Juv Fiction BOSCH P THE NAME OF THIS BOOK IS SECRET*

Two misfits try to solve the mystery of a dead magician and stop an organization searching for the secret of immortality.



Juv Fiction BRALLIER M THE LAST KIDS ON EARTH*

After a monster apocalypse hits town, average thirteen-year-old Jack Sullivan builds a team of friends to help slay the eerily intelligent monster known as Blarg.



Juv Fiction BRAMUCCI S THE DANGER GANG AND THE PIRATES OF BORNEO

When Ronald Zupan's parents are kidnapped, he must face pirates and other dangers in the jungle of Borneo.



Juv Fiction BROWN P THE WILD ROBOT

Roz the robot discovers that she is alone on a remote, wild island with no memory of where she is from or why she is there.



Juv Graphic Novel CASTLE CASTLE IN THE STARS*

A year after his mother's hot air balloon disappeared while searching for a mysterious substance, Seraphin receives a clue that sends him to a Bavarian castle.



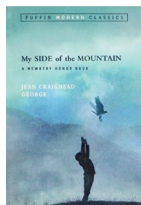
Juv Fiction CHILTON A THE GOBLIN'S PUZZLE

A boy, a goblin, a scholar, and a princess join forces to defeat a dragon, outwit a scheming duke, and solve a logic puzzle.



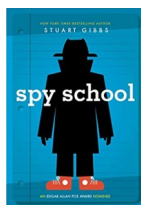
Juv Fiction EAGER L RACE TO THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA

After her parents are killed in an accident, Fidelia Quail is kidnapped by a pirate who wants her help finding his lost treasure.



Juv Paperback GEORGE J MY SIDE OF THE MOUNTAIN

A young boy relates his adventures during the year he spends living alone in the Catskill Mountains.



Juv Paperback GIBBS S SPY SCHOOL*

Ben Ripley leaves his public middle school to attend the CIA's highly secretive Espionage Academy, which everyone is told is an elite science school.



Juv Fiction GORDON R TUNNELS*

When Will Burrows embarks on a quest to find his archaeologist father, who has inexplicably disappeared, his is led to a labyrinthine world underneath London.



Juv Paperback GRABENSTEIN C ESCAPE FROM MR LEMONCELLO'S LIBRARY*

Kyle gets to stay overnight in the new town library, but must work with friends to solve puzzles in order to escape.



Juv Graphic Novel HILO HILO*

When a mysterious boy falls from the sky, friends D.J. and Gina must help him save the world.



Juv Fiction HOWARD E LEAGUE OF ARCHERS: THE STOLEN CROWN*

Ellie Dray and her League of Archers keep Robin Hood's legacy alive by stealing from the rich to help the poor.



Juv Fiction KRESS A THE EXPLORERS: THE DOOR IN THE ALLEY*

A shy boy's life is sent spiraling into adventure after he stumbles upon the mysterious Explorers Club.



Juv Fiction LACEY J ISLAND OF THIEVES*

Tom goes with his uncle to Peru, where they narrowly escape imprisonment and death as they hunt for buried treasure.



**Juv Fiction LERANGIS P
THE COLOSSUS RISES***

Jack, Marco, Aly, and Cass begin a quest to save Atlantis by finding seven pieces of Atlantis' power hidden long ago.



**Juv Fiction MARTIN L
THE ARK PLAN***

A century and a half after cloned dinosaurs forced humans to move underground, Sky discovers a clue to the whereabouts of her long-missing father.



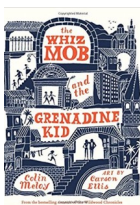
**Juv Fiction MCGEE R
RYAN QUINN AND THE
REBEL'S ESCAPE***

When his father disappears and his mother is abducted, Ryan learns that his missing parents are secret agents.



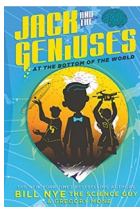
**Juv Fiction MCMANN L
THE UNWANTEDS***

In a society that purges thirteen-year-olds who are creative, twins Aaron and Alex are separated, one to attend University while the other is Eliminated.



**Juv Fiction MELOY C
THE WHIZ MOB AND THE
GRENADINE KID**

After observing a skilled pickpocket in a busy square, Charlie agrees to protect the thief if he teaches Charlie his tricks.



**Juv Fiction NYE B
JACK AND THE GENIUSES: AT THE
BOTTOM OF THE WORLD***

Jack and his genius foster siblings, Ava and Matt, become caught up in a mystery involving a missing scientist.



**Juv Fiction PENNYPACKER S
PAX**

After being forced to give up his pet fox Pax, a young boy named Peter decides to leave home and get his best friend back.



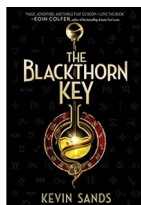
**Juv Fiction RIORDAN R
THE SWORD OF SUMMER***

Magnus Chase, a homeless boy living in Boston, finds out he is the son of a Norse god. To prevent Ragnarok, Magnus must search the Nine Worlds for a lost weapon.



**Juv Fiction RUBY L
YORK: THE SHADOW CIPHER**

In an alternate history of New York, three kids try to solve a modern-world puzzle and complete a treasure hunt laid into the streets and buildings of the city.



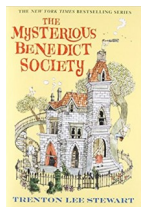
**Juv Fiction SANDS K
THE BLACKTHORN KEY***

In 1665 London, fourteen-year-old Christopher Rowe, apprentice to an apothecary tries to uncover the truth behind a mysterious cult.



**Juv Fiction STEVENSON R
TREASURE ISLAND**

Following the demise of bloodthirsty buccaneer Captain Flint, young Jim Hawkins finds himself with a map that will lead him to the fabled Treasure Island.



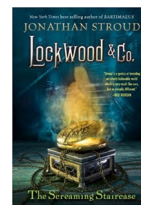
**Juv Fiction STEWART T
THE MYSTERIOUS BENEDICT
SOCIETY***

After passing a series of mind-bending tests and riddles, four exceptional children are selected for a secret mission.



**Juv Fiction STOKES J
ADDISON COOKE AND THE
TREASURE OF THE INCAS***

After Addison Cooke's uncle unearths ancient Incan secrets in Peru, he is kidnapped by a shadowy organization.



**Juv Paperback STROUD J
THE SCREAMING STAIRCASE***

Three young operatives of a Psychic Detection Agency, led by the fearless but mysterious Anthony Lockwood, battle an epidemic of ghosts in London.



**Juv Paperback TURNER M
THE THIEF***

Gen's reputation as a thief leads him to be recruited for a mission to a remote temple of the gods, where he will attempt to steal a precious stone.



**Juv Fiction WESTERFELD S
HORIZON***

When Aero Horizon 16 crashes in the Arctic, eight children find themselves alone and surrounded, not by ice, but by a mysterious and deadly jungle.



**Juv Fiction WOLK L
BEYOND THE BRIGHT SEA**

Twelve-year-old orphan Crow embarks on a journey to discover who her parents were and why they abandoned her as an infant.



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